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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

July 7, 2010

Reviewed: 

Mine Name: Hi Cal	Permit Number: M0230071
Operator Name: Robert Steele	Inspection Date: 06/24/2010
Inspector(s): Wayne Western	Time: 5:10 – 5:30 pm
Other Participants: none	Mine Status:

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Re-vegetation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

This was a routine inspection.

Inspection Summary:

The Permittee graded and seeded the site. The Permittee is eligible to apply for partial bond release.

Some areas have limited vegetation. The Permittee should evaluate the vegetation and reseed as needed.

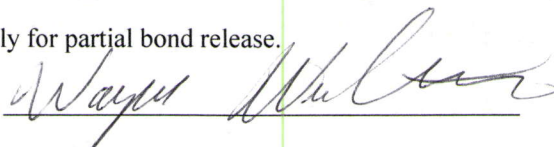
Directions:

There are several roads to the mine. The best maintained road is 0.4 miles west of mile marker 24 on highway 132. Go south for 1.0 miles and then east for 0.5 miles

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The Permittee should apply for partial bond release.

Inspector's Signature



Inspection Date: June 24, 2010

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Jerry Mansfield – BLM

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Mine after regrading and seeding



Some mine areas have limited vegetation



Limited vegetation



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